

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Serial No.: 09/681,574	:	Group Art Unit:
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Filed: May 1, 2001	:	Examiner:
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For: METHODS AND SYSTEM FOR	:	
PROVIDING CONTEXT SENSITIVE	:	
INFORMATION	:	

PETITION TO WITHDRAW THE HOLDING OF ABANDONMENT

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Commissioner for Patents
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.181(a), and MPEP 711.03(b), Applicants hereby Petition to Withdraw the Holding of Abandonment in the above-referenced Utility Patent Application for failure to reply to a Notice of Missing Parts ("NOTICE"). Specifically, a Notice of Abandonment was issued by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office ("PTO") on March 20, 2006. Based on this Notice, the application was abandoned because of Applicants' purported failure to reply to the Notice of Missing Parts mailed October 27, 2004.

The statutory response deadline for the Response to Notice to File Missing Parts was on, or before, December 27, 2004. Applicants respectfully submit that a response to the above Notice was in fact timely filed on May 27, 2005, with the authorization for the Commissioner to charge a deposit account for the five month extension of time fees, via Express Mail.

Submitted herewith are:

1. A copy of the originally filed RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS IN A NON-PROVISIONAL APPLICATION (17 pgs.);

2. A copy of the originally filed CERTIFICATE OF MAILING BY EXPRESS MAIL TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS dated May 27, 2005 (1 pg.);

3. A copy of the Express Mail Post Office to Addressee receipt for Express No.: EV459189625US showing thereon a "date in" by the U.S. Postal Service on May 27, 2005 (1 pg.); and the originally filed postcard dated May 27, 2005, showing thereon the Response being deposited with the PTO via Express Mail No.: EV459189625US;

6. A copy of the Notice of Abandonment Under 37 CFR 1.53 (f) or (g) dated March 20, 2006, as required by the Notice.

5. A copy of the date-stamped return receipt postcard showing thereon the Response was deposited with the PTO on May 27, 2005 (1 pg.); and

6. A statement attesting by personal knowledge of the timely transmission.

Applicants respectfully submit that the above submissions are evidence of Applicants' timely filing of a response to the Notice of Missing Parts dated December 27, 2004. Therefore, Applicants respectfully request that the holding of abandonment be withdrawn.

Applicants believe that no fee is due for this Petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.181(a). If a fee is due, then the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the correct fee to Deposit Account No. 01-2384.

Respectfully submitted,



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STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.8(b)(3)

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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.8(b)(3) the undersigned attests to his having personal knowledge that a Response to the Notice of Missing Parts dated December 27, 2004 (17 pgs.; consisting of: Response to Notice of Missing Parts (1 pg., in duplicate); Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application (2 pgs.); Declaration and Power of Attorneys (13 pgs.; of inventors: C. Fuselier 3 pgs.; J. Dougherty 2 pgs.; J. Fisher 3 pgs.; T. Digate 3 pgs.; R. Carpenter & B. Anger 2 pgs.) were transmitted via Express Mail to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on May 27, 2005.

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CONFIRMATION NO. 6754
ABANDONMENT/TERMINATION
LETTER

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 PATENT OPERATION
 GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY
 41 WOODFORD AVENUE
 PLAINVILLE, CT 06062

Date Mailed: 03/20/2006

NOTICE OF ABANDONMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.53 (f) OR (g)

The above-identified application is abandoned for failure to timely or properly reply to the Notice to File Missing Parts (Notice) mailed on 10/07/2005.

- No reply was received.

If a complete reply to the notice was previously filed by applicant within the time period set forth in the notice, applicant may request for reconsideration of the holding of abandonment within 2 months from the mailing of this notice of abandonment by filing a petition to withdraw the holding of abandonment under 37 CFR 1.181(a). No petition fee is required. The petition must be accompanied by a true copy of the originally filed reply and the item(s) identified in one of the following:

1. A properly itemized date-stamped postcard receipt (see MPEP § 503);
2. If the originally filed reply included a certificate of mailing or transmission in compliance with 37 CFR 1.8(a), a copy of the certificate of mailing or transmission and a statement in compliance with 37 CFR 1.8(b) (see MPEP §§ 512); or
3. If the reply was filed via Express Mail, a submission satisfying the requirements of 37 CFR 1.10(e) including, for example, a copy of the Express Mail mailing label showing the "date-in" (see MPEP § 513).

Any petition to withdraw the holding of abandonment should be directed to OIPE.

If applicant did not previously file a complete reply within the time period set forth in the notice, applicant may file a petition to revive the application under 37 CFR 1.137.

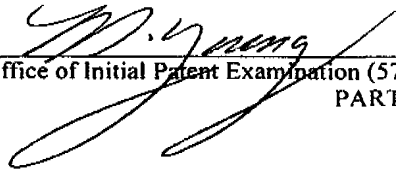
Under 37 CFR 1.137(a), a petition requesting the application be revived on the grounds of **UNAVOIDABLE DELAY** must be filed promptly after the applicant becomes aware of the abandonment and such petition must be accompanied by: (1) an adequate showing of the cause of unavoidable delay; (2) the required reply to the above-identified Notice; (3) the petition fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(l); and (4) a terminal disclaimer if required by 37 CFR 1.137(d). See MPEP § 711.03(c) and Form PTO/SB/61.

Under 37 CFR 1.137(b), a petition requesting the application be revived on the grounds of **UNINTENTIONAL DELAY** must be filed promptly after applicant becomes aware of the abandonment and such petition must be accompanied by: (1) a statement that the entire delay was unintentional; (2) the required reply to the above-

identified Notice; (3) the petition fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(m); and (4) a terminal disclaimer if required by 37 CFR 1.137(d). See MPEP § 711.03(c) and Form PTO/SB/64.

Any questions concerning petitions to revive should be directed to the "Office of Petitions" at (571) 272-3282.

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*


Office of Initial Patent Examination (571) 272-4000, or 1-800-PTO-9199, or 1-800-972-6382
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